



EXPRESS MAILING LABEL NO. EV82188953US

PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 15436.253.31

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop AMENDMENTS  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated February 27, 2006 (paper no. 20060221), be extended for One (1) month until June 27, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,



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